

Title (en)

CIRCUIT ARRANGEMENT FOR VALIDATION OF OPERATION OF A LOGIC MODULE IN A MULTIPOWER LOGIC ARCHITECTURE AND CORRESPONDING VALIDATION METHOD

Title (de)

SCHALTUNGSANORDNUNG ZUR VALIDIERUNG DES BETRIEBS EINES LOGIKMODULS IN EINER LOGISCHEN ARCHITEKTUR MIT MEHREREN LEISTUNGSSTUFEN UND ENTSPRECHENDES VALIDIERUNGSVERFAHREN

Title (fr)

CIRCUIT POUR LA VALIDATION DU FONCTIONNEMENT D'UN MODULE LOGIQUE DANS UNE ARCHITECTURE LOGIQUE À PUISSANCES MULTIPLES ET PROCÉDÉ DE VALIDATION CORRESPONDANT

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Abstract (en)

Circuit arrangement for validation of operation of a logic module (11) in a multipower logic architecture (10), comprising at least a first logic module (11) operating with a first clock signal (MCK) and a first power supply (VMP), and a second logic module (12) operating with a second clock signal (SCK) and second power supply (VMP). Said first logic module (11) and second logic module (12) being configured to exchange signals at least on a communication link (DL), wherein the first logic module (11) is configured to generate a first validation signal (A) and a second validation signal (B), in particular on a first and second wire respectively, which are sent over the communication link (DL) to the second logic module (12), the values of said first validation signal (A) and second validation signal (B) being never zero at the same time, the second logic module (12) being configured to perform a first check that the second validation signal (B) is always logic one when the first validation signal (A) is zero, perform a second check that the first validation signal (A) is always logic one when the second validation signal (B) is zero, perform a cyclic check that the first validation signal (A) and the second validation signal (B) are not stuck-at-1, and to validate (MV) the operation of the first logic module (A) if said first check, second check and cyclic check give each a positive result.

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